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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number AUS920010541US1(9000/52)
In re Application of	STEVEN M. FRENCH, ET AL.	
Application Number	09/895,973	Filed: JUNE 29, 2001
For	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR BOOTING OF A TARGET DEVICE IN A NETWORK ENVIRONMENT BASED ON A PROVIDED ADMINISTRATOR TOPOLOGY GUI	
Group Art Unit	2174	Examiner: PITARO, R. F.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to an Office Action dated OCTOBER 6, 2004 in the above identified application.

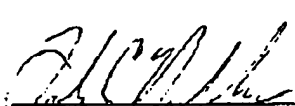
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ 120.00
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A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27:

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<input type="checkbox"/>	A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <u>50-1713</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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